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Welcome, particularly if you are visiting or with us for the first time. If you are, please do introduce yourself to a steward or member of the clergy.

Sunday 5th July 2026

The Fifth Sunday After Trinity

8am Holy Communion (BCP)
10.30am Choral Eucharist (also livestreamed) <i>President</i> Revd Canon Professor Myra Shackley, Cathedral Chaplain <i>Preacher</i> Revd Canon Ned Lunn, Canon for Intercultural Mission and the Arts <i>Reading</i> Zechariah 9:9-12 (OT 898) <i>Gospel</i> Matthew 11:16-19, 25-end (NT 11) <i>Music</i> Dove Missa Brevis, Stainer I saw the Lord, Farrington Every Time I Feel the Spirit, Hymns: 250, 469, 54
3.30pm Choral Evensong (BCP) <i>Rose Responses, Psalm 57, Dyson Service in D, Elgar Give unto the Lord, Rutter The Lord bless you and keep you, Howells Rhapsody No. 3 in C-Sharp Minor, Hymns: 466, 377</i>

COLLECT Almighty and everlasting God, by whose Spirit the whole body of the Church is governed and sanctified: hear our prayer which we offer for all your faithful people, that in their vocation and ministry they may serve you in holiness and truth to the glory of your name; through our Lord and Saviour Jesus Christ, who is alive and reigns with you, in the unity of the Holy Spirit, one God, now and for ever.
Amen.

COMMUNION We are now offering non-alcoholic wine at the Eucharist. If you would value this, please tell a chalice assistant when you come up to receive communion

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THIS WEEK

Monday-Saturday	9am	Morning Prayer (online)
	10am-4pm	Cathedral Open
	12noon	Midday Prayer (Lady Chapel)
	5.30pm	Evening Prayer (online)
Tuesday	1pm	Stitching@Bradford Cathedral
Wednesday	8.15am	Holy Communion (CW, St Aidan's Chapel)
	10.15am	Holy Communion (CW, St Aidan's Chapel)
	1pm	Wednesday@One Organ Recital
	7pm	Belle Vue School Presentation Evening
Thursday	AM	Secondary School visit
	PM	Secondary School visit
Friday	7.30pm	The Music of George Michael
Saturday	7.30pm	The Music of Whitney
Sunday	8am	Holy Communion (BCP)
	9.30am	Prayer for our Life Together (St Aidan's Chapel)
	10.30am	Congregational Eucharist
	11.45am	Just a Minute
	6.30pm	Sacred Music (in partnership with Bradford Literature Festival)

NOTICES

NEW COO We are delighted to announce the appointment of Dipika Kaushal as the Cathedral's new Chief Operating Officer (COO). Dipika will take up the post on 29 June. The COO is the Cathedral's senior lay leadership role, responsible for overseeing operations, governance, people and resources to support the Cathedral's mission, ministry and service to the city. Please keep Dipika in your prayers as she prepares to join us.

NEW SUB-ORGANIST & ASSISTANT DIRECTOR OF MUSIC We are delighted to announce that Matthew Breen will be joining the team from September the 1st. He is currently Assistant Director of Music at St Fin Barre's Cathedral in Cork, and was formerly Organ Scholar at Liverpool Anglican Cathedral.

THELMA de LEEUW sadly died last week. Please pray for her family and friends, particularly those who have cared for her over the last few years. Details of her funeral will follow.

EASYFUNDRAISING Help raise funds for Bradford Cathedral every time you shop online by using Easyfundraising. Hundreds of retailers could donate to us at no extra cost to you if you download and use it. Join this month for a bonus donation. Visit easyfundraising.org.uk or contact Liz Purchase at liz.purchase@bradfordcathedral.org for details.

PRAYERS FOR OUR LIFE TOGETHER Prayer is at the heart of what we do both in our services and personally. We invite you to join us in prayer weekly on Sundays at 9.30–10.15am in St Aidan's Chapel.

PASTORAL SUPPORT At the cathedral we care about you and are always ready to offer you pastoral care. If you have any pastoral concerns or want to share prayer requests, speak to one of the clergy or send an e-mail to clergy@bradfordcathedral.org in the first instance.

JOIN US & GET INVOLVED If you would like to explore becoming more involved in our community then please complete a welcome card that are available at the back of the Cathedral. We are looking for people to serve in several ministries. Please be aware that you will need to be safely recruited to all volunteer roles.

SERVICES AND MUSIC LIST You can now view the May – September 2026 list at <https://bradfordcathedral.org.uk/music>

FORTHCOMING SERVICES & EVENTS

FULL CHORAL FOUNDATION SERVICES Today our full choir celebrate the end of the choir year. We will also express our appreciation for outgoing Sub-Organist & Assistant Director of Music, William Campbell, Lay Clerk (Tenor), Robin Lowery-Morton, and Lay Clerk (Alto), Csenge Kosaras, who all move to new seasons of their lives and ministries. Services at 10:30am and 3:30pm.

WEDNESDAY@ONE ORGAN RECITALS SUMMER 2026 Our weekly organ recital series showcases top-class performers playing beautiful music from across the centuries in a relaxed and friendly atmosphere and this season, the theme is 250 Years since the American Declaration of Independence was signed. This week's organists will be a selection of our own Geoffrey Woollatt, Anthony Gray and Ed Jones, so do join us at 12:30pm for the buffet lunch (£5) or at 1pm for the free recital.

THE MUSIC OF GEORGE MICHAEL Friday 10th July, 7.30pm Prepare to be swept away by an extraordinary evening of music, atmosphere and pure emotion. The Candlelight Concert is more than just a tribute, it's a stunning live experience that honours the legacy of one of the greatest voices in pop history, performed in a setting that will leave you breathless.

Tickets: <https://boxoffice.xperiencelive.co.uk/events/xperiencelive/2104156>

THE MUSIC OF WHITNEY Saturday 11th July, 7.30pm. This breathtaking show will feature a world-class live band with one of the UK's leading Whitney Houston tribute artists, delivering Whitney's greatest hits with an amazing passion and energy. Tickets: <https://boxoffice.experiancelive.co.uk/events/experiancelive/2000496>

MONDAY FELLOWSHIP Monday 13th July, 2pm. Are you free on Monday afternoons? Would you like to spend a few hours once a month in the company of others, listening to interesting and informative talks on a wide range of topics? Why not join us for Monday Fellowship. New faces and old friends are very welcome, whether you come once for a particular talk or whether you come every month. This month's talk is from Dianne Excell, "Heaton People. Did You Know...?"

MODELLING THE CATHEDRAL Michael Scott's N-Scale model is finally here! You can view it and compare it with the older 'Ogg model' from 13th July – 12th September.

ARCHITECTURAL TOUR OF BRADFORD CATHEDRAL Thursday 16th July, 11am. As part of Bradford Heritage Festival our own expert, Maggie Myers will be giving a tour of 1,400 years of history. The tour will start outside but will mainly be based inside. After the tour, there will be the opportunity to compare the building with Michael's Scott's amazing N-Scale model, which will be on display.

SUMMER HOLIDAY FAMILY ACTIVITIES Tuesday 28th July. There will be summer crafts and colouring for younger children, as well as quizzes, information, colouring, sketching and crafts for older children. Parents, grandparents and carers are welcome to join in with the fun as well! You can book for the 10am session at <https://bradfordcathedral.churchsuite.com/events/sgyosbkn> or the 1pm session at <https://bradfordcathedral.churchsuite.com/events/hqwcclob>

THE MUSIC OF JAMES BOND From the moment the first chord strikes, audiences are transported into the mysterious and thrilling world of James Bond. This incredible Chamber Orchestra brings the legendary music of James Bond to life in a way that is bold, elegant and utterly unforgettable.

Tickets: <https://boxoffice.experiancelive.co.uk/events/experiancelive/2091027>

ECCLESIASTICAL TEXTILES' TOURS Saturday 22nd August, 11am and 1pm. Another chance to tour Bradford Cathedral's stunning textiles' collection with our expert historian. Highlights include textiles by Morris & Co. and an altar frontal that was recently showcased on BBC One's Antiques Roadshow, designed by renowned Bradfordian embroiderer Louisa Pesel. You can book for the 11am tour at <https://textiles-tour-morning.eventbrite.co.uk/> or the 1pm tour at <https://textiles-tour-afternoon.eventbrite.co.uk/>